HOUSE BILL No. 1066

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 14-22-12-1.5.

Synopsis: Hunting and fishing licenses for persons with a disability. Provides that certain persons with a disability may purchase hunting and fishing licenses at a reduced fee.

Effective: July 1, 2007.

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January 8, 2007, read first time and referred to Committee on Natural Resources.



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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in this style type, and deletions will appear in this style type.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or *this style type* reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2006 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning natural and cultural resources.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1	SECTION 1. IC 14-22-12-1.5 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
2	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 1.5. (a) As used in this
3	section, "qualified individual" means: an individual who:
4	(1) is a resident of Indiana who:
5	(2) (A) has served in the armed forces of the United States;
6	and
7	(3) (B) has a service connected disability, as evidenced by:
8	(A) (i) records of the United States Department of Veterans
9	Affairs; or
0	(B) (ii) disability retirement benefits awarded to the
1	individual under laws administered by the United States
2	Department of Defense; or
3	(2) a resident of Indiana who:
4	(A) has a developmental disability (as defined in
5	IC 12-7-2-61); or
6	(B) has a disability and meets the qualifications for
7	assistance under IC 12-14-15-1.



1	(b) A qualified individual is entitled to reduced fee hunting and	
2	fishing licenses under this section.	
3	(c) Each year a qualified individual may obtain:	
4	(1) both:	
5	(A) a resident yearly license to fish; and	
6	(B) a resident yearly license to hunt; or	
7	(2) a resident yearly license to hunt and fish;	
8	by paying a reduced license fee of two dollars and seventy-five cents	
9	(\$2.75) instead of the fee prescribed by section 1 of this chapter.	
0	(d) An applicant for a reduced fee license under this section must do	
1	the following:	
2	(1) Request the license from:	
3	(A) the department;	
4	(B) an agent appointed by the director under IC 14-22-11-3; or	
5	(C) the clerk of the circuit court who is an authorized	_
6	representative of the department under IC 14-22-11-3 in the	
7	county in which the individual resides.	
8	(2) Present evidence that the applicant is a qualified individual.	
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